



"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 2627"

Docket No. 245426US6  
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Masataka SHINODA  
SERIAL NO: 10/713,014  
FILED: November 17, 2003  
FOR: OPTICAL LENS, CONDENSER LENS, OPTICAL PICKUP, AND OPTICAL RECORDING/REPRODUCING APPARATUS

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required  
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☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 24, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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